

23rd April 2021



### **Dear Parents and Carers**

It is so lovely to have the children back after the Easter break; they all seem to have grown so much. The sun is also shining and it feels like life is getting slowly back to normal. Let's hope that we get to enjoy some of the traditional school events that take place over the summer term, even if they are a little different. Those events are what we have really missed during this challenging time as they really develop a sense of community.

### **New School Menu**

We are really pleased that from 1<sup>st</sup> April, we have taken on our own kitchens. Previously we had used an external catering company and this was not giving us the best deal for the children. Having done our first full week, I am so pleased with the quality of the food and the new menu. We are working with Dart Fresh who are supplying all the produce and we have our own catering staff in the kitchen. They have had additional training and are a great team. We have had some great feedback from the children with some lovely comments but the best feedback has come with the drastically reduced amount of waste! The new menu is below and we will keep all the items under review.

If you are arriving to school late for any reason, but would like a school dinner, this must be ordered by 9.30am as this is when the kitchen need the numbers by. You can do this by phoning the Front Office.

### **Sport's Day**

We have provisionally booked some dates for sports' day. We have chosen three mornings in June. Years 2,3 and 4 will be on the morning of 29<sup>th</sup> June. Reception and Year 1 will be on the 30<sup>th</sup> June. Years 5 and 6 will be on July 1<sup>st</sup>. We will give out more detail nearer the time but thought you could save the date just in case things go to plan!

### **Reminders**

We are still asking all parents and secondary children to wear masks on site unless exempt. Secondary children should only come on site if they are the person collecting. Please do not arrange to meet them on the school site as this increases the number of people on site unnecessarily. Thank you.

### **Breakfast and After-School Clubs**

Please can these always be booked via the school gateway. Recently we have had some children arrive at clubs with cash to pay for the place. We need the places pre-booked so that we can ensure that we have enough spaces and staff, thank you.

### **Sunny Weather**

As the weather improves, please can children bring a hat to school with their name on it to wear outside. Thank you.

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<b>Monday</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Friday</b>
<b>Main Meal</b>	<b>Main Meal</b>	<b>Main Meal</b>	<b>Main Meal</b>	<b>Main Meal</b>
Ham Carbonara with Pasta and Sweetcorn	Beef Hot Pot with Carrots and Peas	Roast Turkey, Potatoes and two Fresh Vegetables with Gravy	Sausage, Mash, Cabbage and Gravy	Chicken Nuggets with French Fries and Peas
<b>Vegetarian Option</b>	<b>Vegetarian Option</b>	<b>Vegetarian Option</b>	<b>Vegetarian Option</b>	<b>Vegetarian Option</b>
Veggie Tacos with Carrot Chips and Sweetcorn	Focaccia Bread Pizza with Wedges, Carrots and Peas	Cheese, Cauliflower and Broccoli Bake with Potatoes and 2 Fresh Vegetables	Vegetable Lasagne with Courgette Pasta, Garlic Focaccia Bread and Mixed Salad	Quorn Hotdog with French Fries and Peas
<b>Jacket Potato</b>	<b>Jacket Potato</b>	<b>Jacket Potato</b>	<b>Jacket Potato</b>	<b>Jacket Potato</b>
With Cheese / Beans	With Cheese / Beans	With Cheese / Beans / Tuna	With Cheese / Beans / Tuna	With Cheese / Beans
<b>Dessert</b>	<b>Dessert</b>	<b>Dessert</b>	<b>Dessert</b>	<b>Dessert</b>
Fresh Fruit	Banana and Raspberry Cake	Yoghurt / Fruit	Apple Cake	Rice Krispy Cake